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In re Application of:  
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SUPPLEMENT TO THE RENEWED PETITION


Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Supplemental to the renewed petition filed March 21, 2000, Applicant is submitting herewith a copy of the minutes dated December 10, 1998 from the Board of Hoechst Marion Roussel assigning Jean-Claude Vieillefosse authority to act on behalf of the company for all formalities for the filing, acquisition, prosecution and abandonment of pending and future patents and to execute the documents necessary therefor. Also filed is an English translation thereof and this unequivocally establishes the authority of Mr. Vieillefosse to execute the declaration for the present application since the inventor has refused to execute the same.

Respectfully submitted,  
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